

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :
Jianfeng CHEN et al. : Confirmation No.: 1047
Serial No.: 10/707,048 : Group Art Unit: 1714
Filed: November 18, 2003 : Examiner: ANTHONY, Joseph David
Title: ULTRAFINE MODIFIED ALUMINUM
HYDROXIDE AND ITS PREPARATION

AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.114
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 4, 2006, and pursuant to Applicants' submission of a request for Continued Examination, please enter the following amendments and consider the accompanying remarks.

Applicant petitions the Office for a one month extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1). The \$60.00 small entity fee is attached hereto.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including a Declaration under 37 CFR 1.132 with Exhibits is attached following page 11 of this paper.